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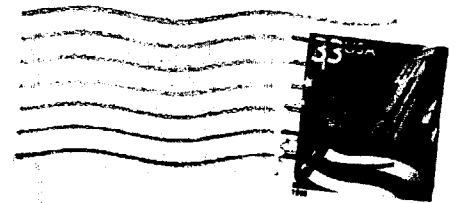
We are writing in support of eliminating the cruel and unhealthy practice of forced molting. This practice, in addition to being inhumane, can be harmful to humans as well. Research has shown that forced molting increases the frequency and severity of salmonella in eggs. The most effective way to reduce salmonella in eggs would be to eliminate the practice of forced molting. More must be done than just putting warning labels on cartons.

Sincerely,

  
Denise and Donald Carson

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